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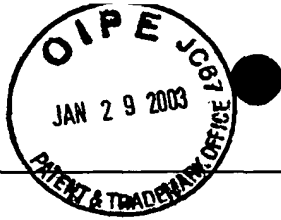
Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 5, 2002 (Paper No. 9), finally rejecting claims 1-9 and 11-30, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

In the Claims

Please rewrite claims 1, 14 and 17 as shown in the Replacement Claims.

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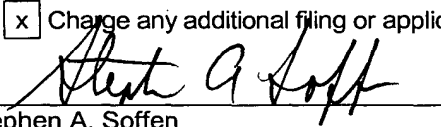
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